Docket No. PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity) 02EK-105599 In Re Application Of: Kishio YOKOUCHI Customer No. Group Art Unit Confirmation No. Application No. Filing Date Examiner John A. MCPHERSON 30764 1756 9219 10/763,523 January 23, 2004 SUBSTRATE OPTICAL WAVEGUIDES HAVING FIBER-LIKE SHAPE AND METHODS OF MAKING Invention: THE SAME COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action August 10, 2006 above-identified application. of Date The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Five months ☐ One month ☐ Three months ☐ Four months September 10, 2006 November 10, 2006 until: from: Date \$450 The fee for the extension of time is and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 501395 ☑ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 501395 ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: November 1, 2006 Signature **David Schnapf** Registration No. 31,566 Sheppard, Mullin, Richter & Hampton LLP hereby certify that this correspondence is being 4 Embarcadero Center, 17th Floor deposited with the United States Postal Service with San Francisco, CA 94111-4106 sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Tel: (415) 434-9100 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on Fax: (415) 434-3947 (Date) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence CC: Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence